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SUBJECT: THIRD EMBASSY MAILING OF U.S. GOVERNMENT POLICY STATEMENTS ON KOREA

1. EMBASSY IS PREPARING TO SEND ANOTHER MAILING ON JULY 26 TO ALL CIVILIAN U.S. CITIZENS REGISTERED WITH THE EMBASSY. MAILING CONSISTS OF KIM DAE JUNG (M-R:KIM TAE-CHUNG) SEGMENTS OF DAVID PASSAGE'S PRESS BRIEFING OF JULY 7 AND EXCERPTS FROM ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE HOLBROOKE'S INTERVIEW WITH ROBERT KEATLEY OF "ASIAN WALL STREET JOURNAL."

2. THESE POLICY STATEMENTS ARE BEING SENT UNDER COVER OF A LETTER FROM THE CONSUL GENERAL DATED JULY 25. THE TEXT OF THE LETTER IS DEVOTED TO ROUTINE CONSULAR MATTERS, EXCEPT FOR THE OPENING PARAGRAPH, WHICH READS: "IN THIS, MY FOURTH LETTER (COMMENT: FIRST MAILING DID NOT CONTAIN POLICY STATEMENTS.) TO THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY, I AM ENCLOSING STATEMENTS THAT FURTHER SET FORTH THE POSITION OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT REGARDING RECENT LOCAL EVENTS. I HAVE RECEIVED MANY FAVORABLE RESPONSES TO OUR EARLIER MAILINGS TO YOU OF SUCH POLICY STATEMENTS, AND WE AT THE EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE WITH THIS METHOD OF KEEPING YOU INFORMED AS LONG AS MORE USUAL MEANS ARE NOT AVAILABLE."

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3. COPIES OF ENCLOSURES ARE ALSO BEING SENT TO ICA/IRS ADDRESSEES.

4. COPIES OF THE LETTER AND ENCLOSURES ARE BEING POUCHED TO THE DEPARTMENT. MONJO
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